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SALVE REGINA TO HOLD THIRTY-FIFTH COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES PRECEDED BY MAGISTERIAL, BACCALAUREATE CEREMONIES

Salve Regina will hold its thirty-fifth commencement exercises Sunday, May 19 at 10:00 a.m. on the east lawn of the O'Hare Academic Center. It will mark the largest graduation in the College's history. Six hundred and eight degrees will be conferred under a tent nearly 23,000 square feet in size.

Sister Lucille McKillop, President of Salve Regina, will address this year's graduating class with the Commencement Message and Sister M. Therese Antone, Vice President for Institutional Advancement, will induct the '85 graduates into the College's Alumni Association. The Most Reverend Kenneth A. Angell, Auxiliary Bishop of Providence, will give the benediction. Scheduled to attend are Rhode Island Governor Edward D. DiPrete, Congresswoman Claudine Schneider and Newport Mayor Patrick Kirby.

Rosa Campos, an accounting major from Fall River, Mass., is this year's valedictorian. Rosa will graduate summa cum laude. In all, 105 students will graduate with honors, including ten summa cum laude, 27 magna cum laude and 68 cum laude. Two hundred and forty-nine students will receive master's degrees, 346 will receive baccalaureate

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degrees and thirteen will be awarded associate degrees.

A 700-year-old tradition, in which graduating students are presented academic hoods in a solemn, religious ceremony, is being continued by Salve Regina at the Magisterial Hooding Service and the Baccalaureate Mass. Hoods are conferred in a symbolic gesture that dates back to the 12th and 13th centuries when universities were primarily under the jurisdiction of the Church. At that time, the educated were monks or priests who wore habits to which were attached cowls or hoods. Today, the hood has come to symbolize academic achievement.

The Magisterial Hooding Service will be held on Wednesday, May 15 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Joseph's Church in Newport. Salve faculty member Reverend Eugene Hillman will deliver the address.

The Baccalaureate Mass will be celebrated at St. Mary's Church in Newport on Saturday, May 18 at 2:00 p.m. Salve Chaplain, Father Raymond McNicholas will be the celebrant.

At the Magisterial Service and Baccalaureate Mass, gold trimmed hoods will be presented to those receiving a bachelor or master of science degree with white trimmed hoods conferred on students graduating with a bachelor or master of art degree. The College colors of blue and white line each of the black hoods.

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Reunion Weekend '85 May 3, 4 and 5

Thanks to all, Reunion Weekend '85 was a great success. From the students, faculty and staff of Mercy Hall's outstanding cabaret and art exhibit... through Saturday's picnic, tours, liturgy, and dinner/dance... to Sunday's sumptuous brunch... a wonderful cast of Salve Regina's grand people made our graduates feel as if they had truly returned home.



Thank you to one and all!

Sharon Caine
Director of Alumni Affairs

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STUDENT NEWS

Congratulations and best of luck to the following graduates in their new jobs:

Susan Bassert
Nursing Major
Butler Hospital, Providence
Psychiatric Ward
Susan will also be attending
graduate school at Boston University

Cheryl Botelho
Nursing Major
Rhode Island Hospital
Medical Floor

Janet Corcoran
Management Major
MacIntyre, Fay, and Thayer Insurance
Agency, Inc., Newton, Mass.
(Job offer followed a successful
internship.)

Caroline Coughlin
Management Major
The Weathervane
Management Trainee

Adrienne Minor
Nursing Major
Miriam Hospital, Providence
Surgical Floor

Mary Catherine Souza
Nursing Major
Tufts New England Medical Center
Surgical Unit
Mary was one out of 40
chosen from 600 applicants!

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SALVE REGINA STUDENT CHOSEN TO COMPETE IN VANDERSTAR CHALLENGE REGATTA

Gregory Hunter, a sophomore majoring in psychology at Salve Regina, was selected to represent Salve's Sailing Club in the Vanderstar Challenge Regatta held in Annapolis, Maryland on May 11 and 12.

The National Regatta was sailed on the Chesapeake Bay in Mistral Bermuda Class Sailboards provided by the United States Naval Academy. The regatta format was sixty percent modified olympic, thirty percent slalom and ten percent long distance, two-hour race. The top two finishers in the race qualified for the United States Yacht Racing Union's 1985 Board Sailing Championship. Trophies were awarded to the first through fifth place finishers among the sixteen individual competitors.

Among the twelve competing institutions were Tulane University, United States Naval Academy, University of Florida, Texas A & M, Dartmouth College, Georgia Tech and the United States Coast Guard Academy.

The Vanderstar Challenge Regatta is organized by the U.S. Naval Academy Sailing Squadron. The race is governed by the International Yacht Racing Rules, United States Yacht Racing Union, The Inter-collegiate Yacht Racing Association's Official Procedural Rules for

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Intercollegiate Sailing Competition and the Sailing Instructions.

NOTE: This issue of the Newsbulletin went into publication before Greg's competition. We hope all went well!

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FACULTY NEWS

Brother John Coakley, C.F.C. has recently been selected as a trustee of the Warwick Consortium of the Arts and Humanities. The Consortium is an outgrowth of the federally funded and nationally recognized efforts in the City of Warwick to strengthen the arts and humanities within and beyond the local community.

Dr. JoAnn Mullaney from the Nursing Department has completed a community survey for the Visiting Nurse Association which will be distributed to Newport County and Tiverton residents.

Dr. Mullaney and Cynthia Padula, nursing faculty, have recently completed a continuing education review program for Sigma Theta Tau which brought Dr. Lucie Young Kelley - a nationally recognized nursing leader - as a keynote speaker to the Sheraton-Islander, Newport.

Catherine Graziano, Joan Chapdelaine, Kerry Fater and Mary Lavin recently attended a Staff Development Conference on "Computers in Nursing Education."

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This issue of the Newsbulletin is the last bi-weekly printing of the academic year. Summer Newsbulletins will be printed as needed.

The Newsbulletin staff wishes all our graduates the best of luck, and, to everyone, a terrific summer!

